

Members of the Promenade Junior Choir:

Ruby Blake	Alice Bowen	Lily Byway
Gabrielle Cary	Zac Greenaway	Harriet Leggett
Cleona Leitch	Raess Mir	Lucy Oglivie
Leanda Robinson	Ruby Shephard	Maggie Talibart
Summer Umney	Beth Wernham	Sophie Wroth
Jemma Young		

Members of the Promenade Youth Choir:

Raphaella d'Alessandro	Issy Anstead	Miles Ascough
Joshua Atkinson	Lottie Buchanan	Martha Butler
Amber Broekhuizen	Tara Broekhuizen	Abigail Clarke
Andrew Clarke	Emma Clarke	Helena Drosdzol
Beth Goldsack	Summer Greenaway	Manon Hagger
Eleanor Holley	Rebecca Lacey	Helen Lawrence
Miranda Lawrence	Martin Lay	Esther McNamara
Olivia Mitchell	Evangeline Rice	Lily Rice
Isabella Sasso	Daisy Shephard	Mike Smith
Eloise Timms	Benedict Williams	

Anybody interested in joining the *Promenade Choirs* can visit the *Promenade* website www.promenade.org.uk or call Christopher on 01932 242805.

Dates for the diary:

Christopher is hoping to run a summer course with choir and masterclasses for advanced youth singer and adults. Anybody interested should consult the website and let Christopher know as soon as possible.

The Youth Choir have also been invited to perform as part of a schools event at the Landmark Arts Centre, Teddington, on Nov 9th, and the Elmbridge Arts Festival with a performance on 25th November.

The next rehearsal will be Monday 29th September. There will be an informal showing for the Junior Choir on Monday 22nd October. There will also be a Christmas Concert. Date tba.



Promenade Choirs

Summer Concert

Musical Pie

by Jonathan Willcocks

and selections from operettas by

Gilbert and Sullivan

directed by Christopher Goldsack
piano - Pam Phillips and Joe Adams
percussion - Mike Osborn

Cleves School
Performance Hall
7pm Monday
9th July 2012



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Programme

Irish Blessing - Bob Chilcott

Pie Jesu - John Brunning

The Lord is my shepherd - Howard Goodall Solo: *Gabrielle Cary*

Evergreen - Barbara Streisand

Bohemian Rhapsody - Freddy Mercury

Pink Panther - Henry Mancini

Musical Pie - Jonathan Willcocks

It's an ark Noah: *Leanda Robinson*

Pop!

Water Solo: *Ruby Shephard*

Wigwam Solo: *Cleona Leitch*

Hooray!

SHORT INTERVAL

Extracts from Operettas by

Gilbert and Sullivan

We sail the ocean blue (HMS Pinafore)

When a foeman bares his steel (Pirates of Penzance)

Solo: *Andrew Clarke*

Poor wand'ring one Solo: *Naomi Vidis-Humphries*

Tripping hither, tripping thither (Iolanthe)

If we're weak enough to tarry Solo: *Summer Greenaway and Mike Smith*

Three little maids (The Mikado)

Solo: *Tara Broekhuizen, Lottie Buchanan and Raphaela d'Alessandro*

The sun whose rays Solo: *Rebecca Lacey*

Dance a cachucha (The Gondoliers)

Promenade first performed music by Jonathan Willcocks in the summer of 2009. On that occasion Jonathan had sent a score of Musical Pie to me. I was immediately taken by its mix of skilful writing for young voices, sense of fun and suitability for the forces that Promenade could muster. The choir has since done several other works by him. Of the fifteen members of the Junior Choir in 2009, ten are still with the Promenade Youth Choir. I am sure they remember the work done on Musical Pie with the same affection that I do. I have asked a few of them to join tonight's performance, for old time's sake!

John Brunning is a composer and radio producer for Classic FM radio. His Pie Jesu comes from a longer work called Amazing Day and was used by the girl band All Angels and became a popular success. It was scored for female choir and the Promenade Girls' Choir has performed it in that version. They enjoyed it very much and I was keen to perform it with the Youth Choir. John has since made an arrangement for standard four part mixed choir. He gave me permission to make this arrangement for Youth Choir with three girls' parts and one boys' part. I know we sang it yesterday at the Deanery evening worship, but I couldn't resist doing it again here - along with a couple of the other items from yesterday.